



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SETHO SENG FEE ET AL.
APPLICATION NO.: 09/944,246
FILED: AUGUST 30, 2001
FOR: **PACKAGED MICROELECTRONIC
DEVICES AND METHODS OF FORMING
SAME**

EXAMINER: TU TU V. HO
ART UNIT: 2818
CONFIRMATION No.: 1798

Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In the Notice of Allowability mailed April 17, 2003, the Examiner allowed claims 1-9, 11-23, 32-35, 39, 40 and 43-45. Although the applicants' attorney agrees with the Examiner's conclusion that these claims are allowable, the applicants' attorney notes that the claims may be allowable for reasons other than those identified by the Examiner and does not concede that the Examiner's characterizations of the terms of the claims and the prior art are correct.

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